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F. & A. M.

TEMPLE LODGE, NO. 14, F. & A. M., meets in the Masonic Hall on the Tuesday evening on or preceding the full moon of each month.
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JESSE BURRIS, Secretary.

O. E. S.

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L. H. GREEN, Secretary.

Y. M. I.

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U. A. O. D.

SONOMA GROVE, NO. 75, U. A. O. D., meets on the first and third Fridays of each month in Odd Fellows Hall.
F. CANEVARI, P. A.
A. G. BOLOTTI, Corresponding Secretary.

A. O. U. W.

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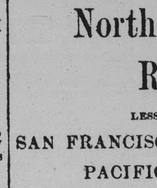
MISCELLANEOUS.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.



Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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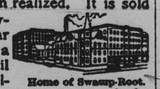

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Leave Sonoma.		Effective Oct. 15, 1899.	Arrive Sonoma.	
WEEK DAYS	SUN DAYS	TO AND FROM.	SUN-DAYS	WEEK DAYS
6.18 AM	6 40 AM	San Francisco	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.45 PM	3.37 PM	San Rafael and intermediates	7.15 P M	7.20 PM
10.30 AM	10.25 AM	Glen Ellen and intermediates	6.40 AM	6.18 AM
7.20 PM	7.15 PM		3.37 PM	2.45 PM
6.18 AM	6.40 AM	Novato Petaluma Santa Rosa and intermediates	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.45 PM	3.37 PM		7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM 2.45 PM	6.40 AM	Cloverdale Healdsburg Lyton and intermediates	7.15 PM	10.30 AM 7.20 PM
6.18 AM	6 40 AM	Ukiah and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM	6.40 AM	Sebastopol and intermediates	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.45 PM	3.37 PM		7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM 2.45 PM	6.40 AM	Guerneville and intermediates	7.15 PM	10.30 AM 7.20 PM

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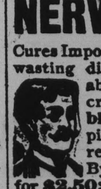
To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for *catarrhal troubles*, the proprietors prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, which will be known as Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid form embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation.

NERVITA Restores VITALITY, LOST VIGOR AND MANHOOD

Cures Impotency, Night Emissions and wasting diseases, all effects of self-abuse, or excess and indiscretion. A nerve tonic and blood builder. Brings the pink glow to pale cheeks and restores the fire of youth. By mail 50c per box; 6 boxes for $2.50; with a written guarantee to cure or refund the money.



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A red, red rose, whose heart of gold
Damask petals with graceful fold
Encircle round—
That red, red rose with heart of gold
Unto my heart a secret told
Of love profound.

A faded rose, though sear and dead,
Its graceful beauty long since fled,
Is treasured still.
The hidden charm of that dead rose
The world knows not, but my heart knows
And ever will.

—Good Housekeeping.

Hooley's First Case

A Lawyer's Successful Start In a Western Town—He Served a Warrant and Worked Up a Reputation.

Everybody said Lem Hooley would succeed in life, and the confidence in him was not misplaced, though the stated reason for it was not very satisfying. He went up to San Francisco to study law. Bung Town bet on him because he was such a marvelous pistol shot.

At bottom no doubt the Bungies believed in Lem because they liked him and wanted to hear good things of him, a substantial basis of a prophecy, since they might give him business upon his return if they wanted to. Again, Lem was shrewd. Indeed, he was tricky, "slick," the town said, laughing the while, for while slickness was a part intolerable to western prejudice it was acceptable when the trickster was straightforward about it. A merry thief might be a "good fellow;" his surly "pal" could go hang.

Lem had great luck. When he came back, dressed in city clothes, he got a case almost before he got down from the stage.

"Sumpin's up," said the driver as they turned into the main street.

He pointed with his whip to an excited group of Bungies standing in front of the store.

"Maybe it's a shooting, and I'll just call it murder and get the chance to defend it," said Lem, throwing one leg off over the end of the rear, ready to jump down.

"Hello, Lem!" "Say, there's Lem Hooley!" "Lem Hooley, s'help me!" "Hello, Lem!"

Thus they greeted him, and he dropped among them, both hands out, to be shaken and to shake each hand. He was glad.

"But what's up?" he asked.

The crowd turned, with a laugh, to Cooley, the sheriff, who had a piece of paper in his hand.

"Cooley's got a warrant to serve, and he's a-skeered to serve it."

"Skeered! Well, I guess not, not if there were 50 greasers 'stead of 10. I'll serve it all right."

"Well, why don't you serve it, then?" asked Lem merrily.

"Because I can't get a man with the gizzard to swear in as deputy to help me."

"What do you want help for?"

"There's ten of them over there." He pointed to a greaser shanty across the street. "Will you go along?"

"What's been done, anyhow?"

"Greaser Ike shot Yellow Mike, you remember, who used to tend bar in the dance hall, and the Mexicans in the county is bound to see him out of the scrape."

"I don't see much in that," said Lem. "Why don't you go ahead and arrest your man?"

"Will you go along as deputy? It means shootin, and a lot of it, against knives, too, and you'll want all the good eye you used to have."

"No, I won't go along as deputy to you, but I'll tell you what I'll do. If the crowd won't string the prisoner up when I take him, I'll go over alone."

"All right. It's a go," they answered.

"Better take my gun," said Cooley, offering his six shooter.

"I'm all right," said Lem, tapping his hip.

There were several offers of company, willing ones, but the young lawyer rejected them all.

He walked rapidly across the street, leaving the crowd happy and silent, interested and full of admiration. Without drawing his gun Lem went straight up to the door, shoved it open and stepped in out of sight, and not a shot was heard nor an oath nor a fall. It was all as silent as before. The crowd at the store wondered, waited awhile and wondered out loud. Ought they not to go over and see what was up? Maybe a knife fixed him before he could draw. The Bungies discussed it carefully, but they believed in Lem, and they decided again and again that they'd better "leave him be." And they did.

It was a wise decision. In two minutes Lem came out with Ike. The other Mexicans appeared at the door of their shanty and quietly watched Lem deliver to Cooley the accused murderer, Greaser Ike, who was as meek as a lamb.

That was something new in Bung Town. You despise greasers, but not exactly as fighters. They will fight all right enough, but the contempt for them is only as pistol shots and as citizens. It is no crime to kill one.

Now, Lem knew this sentiment, and when the trial came off, with all the county present and about one-tenth of the white population in the jury box, the young lawyer, who appeared to defend Greaser Ike, applied it deftly to the case. He showed that Yellow Mike was a greaser and a "no good" greaser, so that to shoot him was not murder. Of course, he admitted, it was not the custom to lose the chance to get rid of two greasers by hanging the one who survived a fight to the finish. But that custom was not only unjust—it was shortsighted. If a white man had a right to shoot a Mexican, a Mexican ought to have the same privilege, or the principles on which this great republic was founded were naught, and the law, which he had learned to respect, was a useless sham. Bung Town was off the track of travel, but that was no reason why it should be behind the times. He had found that in many of the most prosperous places he had passed through the law was being upheld. It was the proper thing now; it was all the go. He urged a trial of this policy upon Bung Town.

The case was won. But Lem enjoyed the situation, so he went on briefly to turn up the practical advantages of his theory. If they hung up to dry any greaser who killed another greaser, they would stop the handiest men with the knives, who, if allowed their freedom, might do some more greasers. He recalled the well known fact that the Mexicans were cliquish in murder. They fought mostly among themselves, and he had familiar figures to prove that 80 per cent of the greasers killed in that county had been killed by their own kind.

The jury acquitted Greaser Ike, and Lem Hooley was feted with thumps on the back and many rounds of drinks. Bung Town staid up late to celebrate the beginning of its favorite son's brilliant career.

Well along toward midnight the citizens compelled Lem to tell how he had made the arrest which brought him his first case, and reluctantly he broke the pledge which he averred he had made to himself that day never to give away the trick he had played on the crowd which stood around Sheriff Cooley urging him to go in and serve that famous warrant.

"It was a trick, only a trick, and I thought of it because Bud Burgess, the stage driver, had suggested it by his remark that maybe the crowd in front of the store meant that I was to get my first case the first day I got home. That would be a joke, I thought, and I made up my mind to work up a great reputation for nerve and courage at the start, so I walked into that greaser shanty, and I says to Greaser Ike, who knew me from way back, that if he would come with me I'd get him a trial and have him acquitted. I winked at him to let him know I had a game to play, and he had the sense to try it."—New York Commercial Advertiser.

How Long Do You Sleep?

"The old rule of eight hours' sleep is sheer nonsense," said a New Orleans physician. "Natural sleep is something that can't be regulated by any formula. The body takes what it needs, be it much or little, and the necessary amount varies with the individual. In a general way I would say that four hours is the minimum and ten hours the maximum for people in fair health. Either more or less is a pretty sure sign that something is out of gear—usually something in the brain.

"I have two patients who sleep only four hours and keep in tolerably good condition. Both are middle aged men, and neither of them works very hard. They are simply so constituted that naturo can repair its losses in four hours of unconsciousness. In many other people nearly three times as long is required. The nerve cells work more slowly; why, nobody knows.

"The queerest case that ever came under my personal observation was that of a bookkeeper of this city who used to sleep two or three hours a night through the week and on Sunday would catch up in a 20 hour nap. That is no exaggeration, but an actual fact well known to all his intimates. He seemed to be able to store away nervous energy as a camel stores water. His general health during the 12 or 15 years I knew him was excellent."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Crescent.

The origin of the Turkish crescent is lost in antiquity. As the emblem of progress and increase it figures in the warship of Astarte, the chief goddess of the Phœnician Pantheon, who under various names was adored by every Semitic race. It is not, therefore, surprising that the crescent should be the chosen emblem of a conquering and spreading people. The hordes of Genghiz Khan carried it on their banners from the great wall of China to the Indus and the Volga in the thirteenth century, yet these were Mongols and enemies of the very people with whom the crescent is generally associated.

The Ottoman Turks, who first got lands in Asia as a reward for assisting the Seljuks against the Mongols, seem from the first arrival in these regions to have displayed the well known symbol. It appeared on the banners of the janissaries of the Sultan Orkhan, in the fourteenth century, and subsequently the crusades fixed it in the eyes of Christendom as the counter emblem to the cross. It is sometimes held that the Turks borrowed the crescent from the Byzantine Greeks, but this is evidently not the case. On the contrary, the Greeks had probably at an early period adopted it with other religious symbols and ideas from the east.

The Modern World.

Compare the condition of our people with that which prevailed before the aggregation of wealth and intelligence in the development of industries, when wealth was obtained by conquest, not by industry, when the masses had meat but once a week, when their houses were without chimneys and without windows, when their clothing and surroundings were filthy, when the death rate was double what it is today, and you go back to a time when the nobility knew less of the world than the laboring man of today; when the present necessities of the masses were luxuries only for the rich, and you realize that the emancipation proclamations were written by Watt and Arkwright, Stephenson and Fulton, Franklin and Morse and Bessemer and the great organizers who have applied their discoveries and distributed the benefits of their inventions to the whole world.—Charles R. Flint in Cassier's Magazine.

THE HOTEL BELLBOY.

He Plans to Have One Day of Fun and Revenge.

"Some day when I have accumulated a stake," said one of the bright bellboys at the Blossom House the other day, "I am going to have some fun."

"What are you going to do?" a bystander asked.

"I am simply going to some big hotel in Chicago or St. Louis and live for a day," and the boy paused to let the remark soak in.

"And that's your idea of a good time, is it?" queried the curious listener.

"Hold on! I am not through yet. I am going to a big hotel with three big grips, and I am going to make the bellboy carry all of them up to the room for me. I won't carry even the smallest one. Then as soon as I am in my room I am going to have some ice water. I will not ring for ice water, but for a bellboy, and after he has climbed to the fifth floor—bellboys are not permitted to use the elevator, you know, and I shall not take a room lower than the fifth floor—when he has climbed up there I will tell him I want some ice water.

"I will drink all the ice water I can and pour the rest in a cuspidor. Then I will ring for more ice water. After that I shall order a cocktail served in my room. I don't drink, but there must be variety in my scheme. Then I will decide to take a Turkish bath and will call a boy to carry my grip down to the bathroom. When I return, I will ring for more ice water.

"I will insist on having the same bellboy serve me all the time, and I'll keep him chasing around until he will curse me at every step. Then when I get ready to leave and he is happy to think he shall never see my cursed face again I will give him a dollar. You know I couldn't think of putting a boy to all that trouble without rewarding him, because I have been through the mill myself. What I have just described happens to a bellboy every day of his life—all except getting the dollar when it is over."—Kansas City Times.

TRAINING HORSES.

Preparing the New Animals For the Circus Ring.

All through the winter circus men are training the animals for new tricks for the next summer. The winter is by no means an idle time. Training horses for the ring is interesting work. The first thing done is to put the new horses in the stables with the old circus horses to get them used to their new company, and a queer thing noticed is that the old horses are jealous of the newcomers.

A great deal of patience and time is required to train the horses to run around the ring. They are blindfolded and taught to run around the ring in a circle. The natural tendency of the horse is to run straight, and it is a hard thing for him to learn. A system of checks and lines makes the training easier than formerly.

The horse is an observant animal and apt to do what he sees another horse do, so when the blindfold is removed he is placed alongside an old trained horse, and the man who is to ride the new animal does tricks with the old ones, then tries them on the pupil. A good, intelligent horse soon learns and actually helps his rider.

Horses are very sensitive to applause and with that stimulus will do twice as much work as without. They are just as likely to lose their heads as human performers and have to be carefully watched. A well trained ring horse is easily worth $1,000, and riders who are stars usually own their horses. The most careful attention is given these animals. Before each act their backs are rubbed with resin, which has to be washed off afterward.—San Francisco Chronicle.

MILK AND WATER.

Milk is food. Water is not food. Nurse the baby on water and it will not live long. But many a mother who supposes she is buying real milk is getting half water, and she wonders why the baby frets and looks thin and pale.

What water is to milk so substitute medicines are to Dr. Pierce's. This is why there is nothing "just as good" as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, for the cure of disordered or weak stomach, impure blood, bronchitis, obstinate, lingering coughs, sore throat, weak lungs, bleeding lungs, and kindred affections, which, if neglected or badly treated, lead up to consumption. If you ask for Dr. Pierce's remedies and the dealer won't supply you, go to another store. Your health is of greater importance than any extra profit he may make on the substitute. The imitation substitute can not imitate the cures. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is absolutely non-alcoholic and non-narcotic. It can be safely relied upon by temperance people. It is not only the safest, but also the surest remedy for the stomach, blood, throat and lungs.

"My wife had a severe attack of pleurisy and lung trouble," writes Abram Freer, Esq., of Rockbridge, Green Co., Ills. "The doctors gave her up to die. She commenced to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and improved from the first dose. By the time she had taken eight or ten bottles she was cured, and it was the cause of a large amount being sold here. I think the 'Golden Medical Discovery' is the best medicine in the world for lung trouble."

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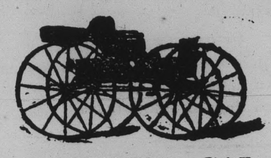

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FINE SHOES.
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S. SCHOCKEN,
NORTH SIDE OF PLAZA, SONOMA.

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SONOMA, MARCH 3, 1900.

H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

The Liar.

Many people permit themselves to be worried over liars, and forget the truth that the only way to treat that breed of pestiferous beings is to ignore them, says the Sacramento *Record-Union*. The constitutional liar likes nothing under the sun better than to have the object of his assault resent his attack. The steady liars, those who can never be cornered, who are armor-proof against the truth, who misrepresent for the very lust of mendacity, are like those creatures who go about seeking to be kicked. It is the worst policy imaginable, however, to gratify them. It is not only lost time, but lost labor. Treat the liar with contempt, and he is more hurt than by resentment. The moon moves steadily in her orbit, despite the barking of the dogs that bay at her.

AN attempt is being made by those opposed the water proposition to frighten property-owners to death by shouting "mortgage and high taxes." This is silly talk and is used in lieu of any sensible argument that can be offered against a water system for Sonoma. The fact of the matter is those that are taking the lead in opposing this much-needed improvement would not support municipal ownership even if a water system could be laid down in this town for nothing. They are opposed to public improvements of every kind on general principles. They are dead opposed to the motto that has for its purpose the upbuilding of civilized communites: "The greatest good for the greatest number." With them it is the greatest good for ME.

A VERY attractive little pamphlet, entitled "The Pass of the Oaks," has just been issued by the Southern Pacific Company. It is descriptive of the hotel, baths and accommodations at the Paso Robles Hot Springs. The publication is illustrated with beautiful half-tones and should be in the possession of all pleasure-seekers.

MERCED has passed ordinances reciting that a sewer system, a system of water works and a lighting plant are public necessities. This is preliminary to calling a bond election at which it will be sought to authorize an issue to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars or more.

PAUL CHAIGNEAU, late city marshal of Napa, whose accounts went wrong nearly a year ago, but who made good the loss, was indicted Saturday for embezzlement. Monday he was arraigned before the Superior Court. His case will come up March 5th. He was released on $2,500 bail.

THERE are only two sides to the water question which will be submitted to the voters of this town on Saturday, April 7th. You are either for or against the proposition. If you are anti-bond you are anti-water. For without the one you cannot get the other.

THE town of Vacaville is about to annex all of the township now outside of the town limits; then a bond issue of $80,000 is proposed wherewith all the roads of the town will be macadamized.

IF you want Sonoma to go ahead and prosper stand by the City Trustees in their endeavor to give this town a municipal ownership of water works. They are working for the good of the whole people in this matter.

Manifest Destiny.

Expansions and triumphs have in the lapse of time profoundly changed American ideas as to the country's ultimate place and purpose among the nations, says Charles M. Harvey in the "Atlantic." No civilized nation, except Russia, has so many inhabitants as the United States. This country's wealth equals that of the United Kingdom and France combined, the nations which stand second and third, respectively, on this roll. In time required for transit, the Philippines are as near New York as Missouri was when Jefferson bought it. Communication by telegraph with the remote corners of the earth is instantaneous. Fremont hoisting the Stars and Stripes at San Francisco in the later '40's and looking through the Golden Gate at the broad Pacific, probably asked, "Is this the end of the westward march of the American race?" Dewey's guns in Manila Bay on that fateful May day of 1898 were the answer. A new pathfinder has blazed new paths to the spread of American civilization, influence and power. "The settlers in Oregon will open to us the North American road to India. It lies through the south pass and mouth of the Oregon." The spirit voiced in these words of Benton when the nation was striving for a boundary on the Pacific is more vital than ever, but the goal has advanced. A richer prize than India lies before us. Dewey has opened to us, by way of the Philippines, the gateway to China. The world's future is in the keeping of three countries—Russia, England and the United States. In the race for universal empire, the Anglo-Saxon nations, whose paths henceforth are likely to lie parallel, have an immeasurable superiority over Russia, and the larger, more progressive, expansive and resourceful branch of the race is the American people. "The heir of all ages, in the foremost files of time."

COUNTY NEWS ITEMS.

Margaret Geary, the little five-year-old daughter of Hon. and Mrs. T. J. Geary, died at the Geary home in Santa Rosa on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Louis Meyer of Santa Rosa made her debut as a professional at the California Theatre, San Francisco, last Sunday, with the Maggie Moore Company.

Brick "Thompson, who stole a locomotive in Sebastopol and ran it into Santa Rosa, one day last week, has been adjudged insane and sent to the Mendociuo Asylum.

Mervyn, the little brother of Engineer James Donahue of Petaluma, fell on a cattle guard at Santa Rosa, one day this week, and broke one of his legs in two places. The injury is a serious one. The lad is a bright, winsome little fellow and a favorite with all.

Frank P. Wickersham has filed a contest in the Superior Court of this county against the will of his mother, Mrs. I. G. Wickersham of Petaluma, who recently died and cut him off with $50. A few months ago he was about to contest his father's will but the suit was compromised out of Court by the other heirs paying him $25,000.

Thomas Barlow, a well-known fruit grower residing near Sebastopol, met with a shocking accident last Monday which my prove fatal. While standing with his back to the animal he was kicked by a horse, one of the brute's hoofs striking him in the back of the head and the other landing full in the middle of the back, inflicting very serious injuries. An examination of the injured man revealed the fact that the blow in the back had broken two ribs, detaching both from the spinal column. The kick in the head was also very severe. In falling Mr. Barlow had been hurled against a ragged stump, striking full in the face and breaking several bones besides badly disfiguring him. The injured man remained unconscious for over two hours.

SCHELLVILLE SIFTINGS

Theodore Kiser is the owner of a fine new Clipper bicycle.

Mrs. C. Wise was a Schellville visitor to Santa Rosa one day this week.

The Sonoma and Schellville road was never in better condition than it is at the present time.

The county road leading from the Goodman place to the upper part of the Lord ranch is being widened and otherwise improved.

Famers in this locality are taking advantage of the present fine weather by rushing their plowing and pruning operations.

Trout fishing in tide water is all the rage down this way. Frank Guilfoyle and others have made some fine catches of the speckeled beauties the past few days. They varied in size from six to eighteen inches.

A. R. De Fluent, editor of the *Journal*, Doylestown, Ohio, suffered for a number of years from rheumatism in his right shoulder and side. He says: "My right arm at times was entirely useless. I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and was surprised to receive relief almost immediately. The Pain Balm has been a constant companion of mine ever since and it never fails." For sale by F. Duhring. *

The INDEX-TRIBUNE gives all the important news of the county for $2.50 a year.

SUPERIOR COURT NOTES.

In Judge Dougherty's department of the Superior Court the calendar on Monday contained the following matters:

Public Administrator J. G. Pierce was appointed administrator will annexed on the estate of Marco Bonacich, the fisherman.

An order was made assigning the estate of the late Henry P. Mc Cleave to the widow.

The estate of the late John E. Williams was set aside to the widow.

The matter of the annual account of the estate of Albert Soldate was submitted and taken under advisement.

S. Z. Peoples was appointed administrator on the estate af Andrew Peoples in a bond of $13,500.

A return of sale of real estate was confirmed in the estate of W. F. Wade.

An order to sell real estate of Matthew W. King and others, minors, was granted. The bond was fixed at $5000.

Probate matters continued: Estate of James Urban and others, minors; estates of Nancy F. Williams and W. H. Kruse to March 5th.

In the action of Isaac Sharp against the National Bank an inspection of certificates was ordered and a copy of certificates may be taken by photograph at the defendant bank.

The divorce suit of Lose vs. Lose was submitted and taken under advisement.

A divorce was granted in the suit of Southern vs. Southern on the ground of desertion.

In the action for alimony and counsel fees of G. L. Davis vs. P. R. Davis, the court made an order of $25 per month, $50 to prosecute and $150 counsel fees.

In the matter to instruct Justice of the Peace Cunningham of Bodega township to send the appeal in the suit of Frank Murki vs. H. G. Taylor up to the Superior Court was submitted and taken under advisement.

Civil matters continued: California Wine Makers' Corporation vs. F. Schmidt, Annie Reed vs. Michael Flood, John F. Gerber vs. E. F. Pratt, Ellen L. Thompson vs. W. G. Griffith, A Bacigalupi vs. A. Pinelli, Charles W. Pike Co. vs. Hunt Brothers' company et al., all to March 5th.

In Department Two, Judge Burnett presiding, the following matters were on the calender:

In the divorce suit of Kate Green against John Green, default was entered and the matter was referred to the Court Commissioner, Ira C. Jenks, to take testimony.

The suits of Charles Martin vs. Julia Barry and Sampson B. Wright et al. vs. Richard Hall were continued to March 5th.

The Butterfly's Pocket.

The male butterflies have the proud privilege of a pocket, but the pocket of a butterfly is wonderfully made. It is really an extension of the under wing folded back on the upper side, but it is exquisitely colored and marked like the upper side, so that it is very hard to detect, and no one has yet discovered just how it is opened, although undoubtedly the butterfly can throw it open while he is flying.

At first glance there seems to be only white or amber colored silk floss within, but examine this with a microscope and you will find twisted ribbons, slender rods shaped like a shepherd's crook, others jointed bamboolike and flexible rods and tiny scales of various sorts and patterns.

It is known that insects have a marvelously keen scent, and it is believed that all these odd little objects are perfume boxes and that the fragrance so thrown abroad is a signal call to the female butterfly, which may be wandering about in the air. It is, to say the least, a very interesting guess, and there is evidence to prove that butterflies and moths are summoned from distances by odors that we would hardly notice.—Philadelphia Times.

A Maori Legend.

In Cassell's Little Folks there is a quaint Maori fairy tale which concludes thus: "Suddenly the father, who had been looking up into the western sky, cried out in a glad voice: 'There they are! I see them!' The mother came running out at his cry, and together they saw their two children standing hand in hand far away in the sides of the sky, the two little stars that had not been there before. 'Let us follow them,' said the mother, and together they rose into the deepening twilight and fled after their children.

"But Piri and Noko, far off in the sky, saw their parents coming and, thinking they were angry, sped away toward the western horizon. The parents followed, and when they reached the highway of Tane that god of light changed them into stars. And now, when the night is clear, you may see two little twin stars flying away toward the west and some distance behind two larger stars in vain pursuit. Thus forever they go round and round the world, Piri and Noko running away from their parents because they were so foolish as to think their mother did not love them."

Have You Heard Of It?

You may have heard about SCOTT'S EMULSION and have a vague notion that it is cod-liver oil with its bad taste and smell and all its other repulsive features. It is cod-liver oil, the purest and the best in the world, but made so palatable that almost everybody can take it. Nearly all children like it and ask for more.

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looks like cream; it nourishes the wasted body of the baby, child or adult better than cream or any other food in existence. It bears about the same relation to other emulsions that cream does to milk. If you have had any experience with other so-called "just as good" preparations, you will find that this is a fact.

The hypophosphites that are combined with the cod-liver oil give additional value to it because they tone up the nervous system and impart strength to the whole body.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Ed. J. Hamilton, formerly of Healdsburg, was instantly killed, on Friday night of last week in Suisun by a live electric wire. He was fixing some apparatus connected with the electric light plant when he met his death.

"Laugh and grow fat."

"Pooh! You mean, grow fat and get laughed at.'"

We have saved many doctor bills since we began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home. We keep a bottle open all the time and whenever any of my family or myself begin to catch cold we begin to use the Cough Remedy, and as a result we never have to send away for a doctor and incur a large doctor bill, for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy never fails to cure. It is certainly a medicine of great merit and worth.—D. S. MEARKLE, General Merchant and Farmer, Mattie, Bedford county, Pa. For sale by F. Duhring. *

Daily Call and Index-Tribune $7.00 per year.

Stop Coughing

Every cough makes your throat more raw and irritable. Every cough congests the lining membrane of your lungs. Cease tearing your throat and lungs in this way. Put the parts at rest and give them a chance to heal. You will need some help to do this, and you will find it in

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From the first dose the quiet and rest begin: the tickling in the throat ceases; the spasm weakens; the cough disappears. Do not wait for pneumonia and consumption but cut short your cold without delay.

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Write to the Doctor.

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Jean: "Why do you never speak to Mr. Dutre? He is uncouth, but I am sure he is a 'diamond in the rough.'"

Kate: "So do I; that's why I'm cutting him."

CANDIDATES CARDS.

FOR CITY MARSHAL

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(Present Incumbent.)

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By a first-class ranch hand. Well up in all kinds of ranch work. Understands horses, all kinds of farm machinery, pruning, etc. Best of references given as to experience, sobriety and industry. For further particulars apply at this office. 1m

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Stone Mason.

Sonoma, Cal.

Stone Buildings,
Vaults,
Cement Sidewalks,
Cemetery Work

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between J. G. Marcy and J. J. Dunbar, under the firm name and style of Marcy & Dunbar, Sonoma, California, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, J. G. Marcy, retiring.

The business of the late firm will be continued by J. J. Dunbar, who assumes all obligations and collects all outstanding accounts and who most respectfully solicits a continuation of the patronage bestowed upon the late firm.

J. G. MARCY.
J. J. DUNBAR.

Sonoma, California, January 30th 1900.

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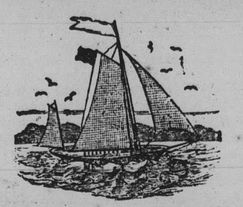

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The Index-Tribune

SONOMA, MARCH 3, 1900.

BREVITIES.

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C. Aguillon is having his house and winery newly painted.

Bert H. Jones for fine suits made to order. Lowest prices. A fit guaranteed. *

For harnesses go to Chas. Wilson, Main street, Petaluma. You will save money. *

Good second-hand buggies, carts and incubators. Gutermute's, 804 Main St., Petaluma. *

The duck season closed last Thursday and the open season for trout commences April 1st.

Three hundred apple trees are being added to the orchards of the California Home at Eldridge.

The Southern Pacific Company is constructing a new side track for the California Home at Eldridge.

Geo. W. Rodehaver of El Laurel is engaged in sawing 750 cords of wood which will be disposed of in this valley.

Will Steuben, watch maker and jeweler, has opened up a first-class establishment and is now ready for business. *

Dr. F. H. Phillips, Surgeon Dentist. All branches of dentistry. All work guaranteed. Office—I. O. O. F. building, Petaluma. *

Weyl Bros. have leased from F. Clewe the frame building on Broadway formerly used for storage purposes and will fit it up as a branch butcher shop.

Master Joe McMullen of Santa Rosa has been very ill for several days. The little fellow suffered severely from a gathering in his head, but is now recovering rapidly.

The fine large Mastiff dog belonging to Robt. Poppe was poisoned last week. The compound administered to the poor brute was dreadfully slow in its work, taking four days to kill.

Miss Lousia Culver left last Saturday for a visit with Petaluma relatives. While here she was entertained by her sister, Mrs. Hocker.

Chas. Wilson, Harness Maker, carries a full line of robes, whips, blankets and everything for horsemen. Repairing a specialty. Main street, Petaluma. *

Harry Knight and Arthur Frauenholz caught twenty-seven trout in Sonoma Creek below Embarcadero last Sunday. The fish were hooked in tide water and varied in size from six inches to a foot in length.

The Library of South Africa will be ready in one month. Four books in one volume, giving the history of Om Paul, Cecil Rhodes and the British and Boer war. The agent of Sonoma will be around shortly and take orders.

T. J. McGimsey, U. S. Bonded Warehouse Keeper at this place, has returned from Santa Rosa where he has had charge of the warehouse in that city the past month. W. W. Skaggs, who exchanged places with him, returned to Santa Rosa last Wednesday.

This month's number of California Municipalites contains the speech delivered by Mayor James S. Sweet at the last convention of the League of California Municipalities on the municipal ownership of water works.

Services in the Methodist Church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. Preaching by the Rev. M. Buckner. Services will also be held in the evening at 7:30 o'clock when the pastor, Rev. Henry Pearce, will preach, the subject being "The Use and Abuse of Doubt." All are invited.

It is very hard to stand idly-by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come, as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholtz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by F. Duhring. *

Something New for You.

Rubber tires put on wagons, buggies and carriages. They will wear well and make riding a real pleasure. No jolts or shaking up. For this improvement go to Robinson & Farrell, Main street, next to Plaza, Petaluma. *

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HIS HEART AND LUNG WERE OUT OF PLACE.

Result of a Runaway Accident on the Spreckels Ranch.

It seems singular that a man with his heart and left lung forced way out of place would be able to be up and around. But that has been Jos. Guilfoyle's experience for over a month. About six weeks ago while driving a span of horses on the Spreckels ranch the animals ran away. The plucky driver might have saved himself by jumping, but he stayed with the runaways and endeavored to stop them. In their mad flight they ran under a low shed and Guilfoyle was struck by a heavy beam on the back directly behind the left lung and heart. He was brought to his home in this place and it was not thought that he was seriously injured, as no bones were broken, and after a couple of weeks nursing he was up and around again. Ever since the accident, however, Mr. Guilfoyle had been anything but a well man. He complained of pains in the left side, was unable to sleep and was rapidly losing flesh. A few days ago seeing that he was steadily growing weaker he hired a rig and drove over to Napa and consulted Dr. Hennessey. Upon examining the patient with his X-Ray the doctor discovered that the left lung and heart had been forced out of place from the left side of the body toward the right. The organs were put back in their proper place and instant relief followed. Mr. Guilfoyle says with his heart in the right place he feels like a new man, although he will be unable to do any kind of work for two or three months.

Minstrel Show.

The Sonoma Athletic Club contemplates giving a minstrel show the latter part of this month. The proceeds will be applied toward erecting a monument over the grave of the late Wm. Taylor, who was a member of the club when he died.

For Special Election.

Robert Poppe, Deputy County Registration Clerk, has registered 138 voters since assuming his duties last week. Of those 134 reside within the incorporated limits and four outside.

A Social Time.

Frank Freggro entertained a number of friends at his home on the north side of the plaza, last Thursday evening; the occasion being his birthday anniversary. Dancing, feasting and social games were enjoyed, and everyone present had a jolly time.

Suit on a Chattel Mortgage.

The Sonoma Valley Bank, through its attorney, R. A. Poppe, brought suit in the Superior Court on Monday against John Lounibos to recover $1450, balance due on a chattel mortgage given originally for $2500 on 35,000 gallons of wine.

Miscellaneous Notes.

There is some talk of establishing a can factory at Santa Rosa.

Many Sania Rosans are preparing to visit the Paris exposition.

Frank Lemonie's new winery at Glen Ellen is rapidly nearing completion.

At noon next Monday the work of assessing property in this county will be commenced.

Chris. Donovan of Santa Rosa will go to England this year on a hop-selling expedition.

Judge Burnett of Santa Rosa has been sitting in Judge Mannon's court of Ukiah for the past week.

Only three hundred and sixty votes were polled at the Santa Rosa primary election last Tuesday.

Mrs. Dugan, whose home near Glen Ellen was destroyed by fire a short time ago, is preparing to rebuild.

Joseph Corbel, the veteran lumber manufacturer of this county, died in San Francisco a few days ago.

Prof. Roncoveri, the well-known musician of San Francisco, spent last Sunday on his farm near Glen Ellen.

Chas. H. Wilson, Main street, Petaluma, dealer in harness, whips, buggy robes, etc. When in Petaluma give him a call. *

The entire output of prunes in the Geyserville district has been pledged to the California Cured Fruit Association.

Garret Hyatt, formerly superintendent of Fair's stock farm near this place, has sold his Belgin hare business, near Two Rock, to a San Francisco party.

The Cloverdale Citrus Fair came to a close last Saturday. It was a great success in every particular. Thomas Wilson, formerly of this place, was prominent in the management of the fair.

THE OLD STUART RANCH.

Action to Quiet Title Commenced in the Superior Court.

The suit of F. Quien vs. Giovanni Bocco, instituted in the Superior Court of this county to quiet title to the old Stuart ranch near Glen Ellen, has been engaging the attention of Judge Dougherty the past week. Quien is suing the three Boccos to secure a decree of the Court quieting his title to seventeen and one-half acres of land near Glen Ellen. The land formerly belonged to the Stuart estate. Quien claims title through deeds made by Mr. Stuart and Bocca claims title through deeds made by Mrs. Stuart. Both sides, strange as it may seem, claim title by adverse possession. There are a lot of deeds in evidence for plaintiff and a lot more are to be put in by the defendants.

The following witnesses testified for the plaintiff last Wednesday: Robt. P. Hill, Leo Justi, Jack Dalton, Mr. Brand, Ellen M. Stuart, Irving and Albert Quien.

In addition to the testimony of witnesses, much documentary evidence has been put in. The trial is being watched with interest. Other witnesses will be called by plaintiff before their side of the case is rested. The defendant also has a number of witnesses.

On Wednesday the trial was postponed until next Tuesday.

Of Interest to Local Horsemen.

A few days ago Joe Ryan, one of Sonoma's horse fanciers, purchased the most promising filly that was ever brought to this town. She is four years old, a natural pacer, and the daughter of Contention, 2:09¼, the handsome black stallion once owned by the late Si White of Lakeville. Her dam is Lady Luceille, full sister to Aaron, 2:08¾, and daughter of the famous Electioneer. The ancestry of this pretty little filly dates back to Hambeltonian No 10, Green Mountain Maid, Blackhawk and the renowned old Lexington. She inherits all the style, action and speed of her ancestors and Mr. Ryan values the mare very highly.

Switzer, the speedy pacer once owned by Granville Harris, but now the property of Samuel Hooper of Napa, is at present undergoing a course of training on the Napa track. He will be started in the next State Fair races at Sacramento and is expected to acquit himself very creditably.

Doctor John, the game little bay Fairmont pacer purchased from the Fair estate about two years ago, by Dr. Alf McLaughlin of San Francisco, is now classed as the second best driving horse on the speed track of Golden Gate park. His only superior on the speed-away is Teddy the Roan, a son of Sidmore and grand-son of Sidney. The latter has a record of 2:11, but can make better time. A splendid picture of Doctor John and his driver appeared in the Bulletin of January 25th.

Granville Harris' Stamboul, Jr., and John McDonell's Highland Don, grand-son of Dawn, are being prepared for a mile trot, best three in five heats. The event is scheduled for an early date, and Charles Ohm and James Albertson have been booked as starter and timekeeper respectively.

Frank Burris, assistant cashier of the Sonoma Valley Bank, would like to buy a speedy, stylish road horse, pacer preferred. The animal must be well gaited and capable of reeling off a mile in 2:30.

Thomas Hopper has resigned as executor of the last will and testament of Thomas C. Schlosser.

The many friends in this place of Dr. D. G. Atwood will be pleased to hear that he is enjoying a lucrative practice in Cloverdale.

$100 Reward $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office.

Harry Fisheer visited his family in San Francisco Sunday.

Miss Nellie Sullivan spent Sunday with Glen Ellen friends.

F. Levy, who has been quite ill is reported as slightly improved.

Mrs. Dalessi of San Rafael spent Sunday with relatives in this place.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. O'Donnell of Glen Ellen were in town last Saturday.

Mrs. M. Nordin of Agua Caliente Hotel is spending the week in the metropolis.

Mrs. Henry Ahern of San Francisco is the guest of her sister Mrs. L. H. Green.

Carl Dresel returned from a brief business trip to the metropolis last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mary Gearhart of San Francisco is visiting her father Hon. Robt. Howe.

Chas. Potter returned from a two days' business trip to the metropolis Sunday evening.

A. J. Haubert came up from San Francisco last Tuesday and spent the day on "Bella Vista" farm.

V. Bulotti took Tuesday afternoon's train for San Francisco where he went to transact business.

Miss Etta McGimsey has returned home after a pleasant visit with Berkeley and San Francisco friends.

Mrs. Chas. Ohm of Embarcadero was called to the city on Friday of last week to attend the funeral of a relative.

Miss Alma Cutter returned to her home in San Francisco Sunday, after a week's visit at the Haraszthy residence.

Miss Marcella Glazier of Berkeley returned to the University Sunday after a visit of several days at Eden Dale.

Mr. Geo. Hammer of San Francisco, after spending several days with his son Fred, has returned to his city home.

Miss Margaret Burke, teacher of the San Luis school, spent Washington's Birthday with her parents Mr. and Mrs John M. Burke of San Francisco.

Mrs. L. Hooker has returned to her home home in Grass Valley, after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hendley of Glen Ellen.

Percy L. King, formerly of this valley, was one of the floor managers at the grand Mardi Gras ball held at the Hopkins Art Institute in San Francisco last Tuesday evening.

C. L. Carbone of San Francisco, special agent of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, was in town several days this week. Mr. Carbone, who formerly resided in Napa, is well known in this valley.

J. W. Horn of Petaluma visited Sonoma on business last Thursday.

J. W. Gibson contemplates a visit to Cape Nome during this spring.

Miss Katie Donaldson of Yountville is visiting relatives in this place.

Mrs. Amelia Bates spent last Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. McMullen of Santa Rosa.

Mrs. D. Maclean and daughter Miss Sibel Maclean of San Francisco visited Sonoma Sunday.

The owner of a number of trained dogs gave an exhibition with his canines on Napa street, last Thursday.

The seventy-five acre Roncoveri ranch near Glen Ellen has been leased by T. Johnson for a term of years.

E. M. Gordon, representing the Mutual Life Insurance Company, spent several days in this place this week in the interest of his company.

A representative of the *La Voca De Popola*, a San Francisco Italian publication, was soliciting subscriptions in Sonoma this week.

L. Quartaroli of the City Hotel is remodeling the summer houses on his grounds, in anticipation of an influx of guests during the coming outing season.

Mrs. Anson Wright of Summit Joint has been greatly improved in health during her sojourn in Oakland, where she is the guest of Mrs. O. Wright.

S. Richmond of San Francisco is at present a guest at the Union Hotel. He will remain here for some time in the hope of improving his health.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Quartaroli of the City Hotel purchased a fine new upright piano one day this week which has been placed in the hotel parlor for the use of guests.

Right Rev. Wm. H. Moreland, Episcopal bishop of the Northern Diocese of California, will hold services at the Methodist Church, Sonoma, on Sunday, March 18th, at 3 P. M. All are cordially invited to attend.

Ash Wednesday was celebrated in St. Francis' Church by services in the morning, when the blessed ashes were distributed. In the evening Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was observed. Services will be held on Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week during the Lenton season.

A very pleasant time was had at the necktie party given on Washington's birthday by the young people of Summit Joint, which is located above the pretty town of Glen Ellen. Dancing was the principal feature of the occasion. Emma Herd acted as floor manager, while music was furnished by a string orchestra of seven pieces.

Still More Counterfeiting.

The Secret Service has just unearthed another band of counterfeiters in a suburb of New York City, and secured a large quantity of bogus $5 bills, which are so cleverly executed that the average person would never suspect them of being spurious. Things of great value are always selected by counterfeiters for imitation, notably the celebrated Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which has many imitators, but no equals for common disorders like fever, ague, malaria, indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, nervousness and general debility. The Bitters sets things right in the stomach and when the stomach is in good working order, it makes good blood and plenty of it. In this manner the Bitters get at the seat of strength and vitality, and restore vigor to the weak and debilitated. Beware of counterfeits when buying. Always go to reliable druggists who have the reputation of giving what you ask for.

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Jesee Burris had business in the Bay City Thursday.

Sonoma Valley orchardists and vineyardists are very busy at present.

Mrs H. Davis and Miss Claire Hope spent Thursday in San Francisco.

Miss Stella Johnson is very ill at her home on First street East. Her many friends hope for her early recovery.

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E. Williams is a guest at the Union Hotel.

Joseph Ryan was a visitor at Napa Friday.

J. G. Marcy went to San Francisco Thursday afternoon on a business visit.

Miss Edith Gillan returned Thursday evening from a brief visit in the metropolis.

J. W. Clark and wife of New York are registered at the Union Hotel.

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AT MIDCONTINENT

The breathless overland fliers stopped and panted in each other's face. One had rushed out of the east and the other out of the west, and they paused amid sagebrush and alkali wastes for a moment before the big water tanks. The weary passengers got out of the coaches and paced up and down the wide platform with a sense of indescribable relief from the close, dusty coaches. They had the sensations of those who walk the deck on the Atlantic, when the world for days has seemed water bound and they are no nearer harbor than before. The plains were as vast, as inscrutable and as unkindly as the sea, it seemed. Neither had hospitality; neither was willing to offer anything but a grave to those who sought its solitudes.

Linda Custer, perched on the step of a Pullman coach, looked about her and smiled. The pretensions of the desert irritated her. She felt like giving vent to impertinences. She wanted to dance, and laugh and cry out: "You sullen, ridiculous desert, what is the matter with you? Why do you look so leprous? Why do you never grow anything but sagebrush? And, above all, why do you try to awe me? Puff! In a few minutes I shall enter this Pullman coach and be in the heart of civilization, and you can whirl your white dust and bluster and fume all you please, but you can't hurt me!"

Her jaunty little dust covered cap could not keep her wayward locks in place, nor indeed did these locks even perform the simple service of securing her hatpins. So a particularly aggressive gust that came along carried the cap down the platform. Linda ran after it as hard as she could, not having any care to proprieties, and only being desirous of making sure of her headgear, which, 500 miles from a milliner's, acquired a distinct value.

Arthur Denslow saw it, too, and he gave chase as well, and the two reached for it at the same moment, yielded it simultaneously, giving it a chance to race yet farther down the platform, and had to make another sprint before they recovered it.

"Oh, thank you!" cried Linda, grateful and flushed. "What if it had got away?"

"The gray wolves would have worn it, I suppose," responded the young man, bowing with as much courtesy as if he were in a drawing room instead of on a railway platform in the desert.

"Are there gray wolves here? Why does not appear?"

"I suppose they don't care to come out for exposition purposes."

"Wouldn't it be amusing if the earth should suddenly open and swallow the trains and the tracks and all of us people should be left here in the midst of nothing, without any tools, seeds or clothes or food? What do you suppose we would do?"

"It would depend entirely on who happens to be walking among these folks on the platform. If one of them chances to be Edison, I suppose we should soon be out of our predicament. If they are all as stupid as I am, no doubt we would die, providing we are too far from civilization to walk."

"I'm afraid we aren't. I'm afraid a good, vigorous walk would bring us into the heart of a civilized town. That's the worst of living in this generation. Everything is too easy."

"You like difficulties?"

"I suppose I would like difficulties. I have never had any. I would like to get on a cayuse and ride away over this alkali desert till I came to wild hills, and I would like to fight Indians."

"Would you, indeed? Well, I've done it. I've laid in trenches three days with the rain falling on me. I've been in several skirmishes and one sea fight."

"You're coming home from the Philippines?"

"Yes. I was going to say to you that when these things are happening they seem perfectly commonplace."

"Impossible!"

"I assure you it's true."

"Do you like tropical countries?"

"No. The landscape does not seem any more sane than this one does. I like the temperate zone. I like—well, I like Jackson park pretty well, right near the pavilion, where one can look over the lake."

"Do you live in Chicago? Is that your home?"

"Yes. You know the spot of which I speak?"

"Know it? I have been there on my wheel every day all summer."

"And now you are leaving it and I am coming back to it."

"I'm going to the coast to stay the rest of my life."

"Why didn't you wait by the pavilion?"

The conductor of the westward bound train summoned his passengers.

"All aboard! All aboard!"

Linda bowed to the young man.

"I did not know you were coming to the pavilion!" she cried saucily. "I thought you were going to stay in Luson."

The conductor swung her on the platform, and Arthur Denslow took off his hat and stood bareheaded in the dusty sunshine smiling at her somewhat wistfully.

"It has been horribly lonesome over in Luzon!" he called.

"It was rather lonesome at Jackson park," she confessed.

"All aboard! All aboard!" announced the conductor of the eastward bound train.

Linda waved her little hand. "Goodby! Goodby!"

"But we had only begun our conversation! What do the trains mean by pulling out? We were getting so interested!"

They smiled at each other radiantly, but with a lurking pathos. The great engines drew deep breaths and their bells clanged. The long, dragonlike trains began a sinuous motion through the length of their mammoth bodies.

"Let's go around the world and meet on the other side!" he cried.

What she said was drowned in the clatter of the train. The white dust rose behind in an obliterating cloud. From the window out of which he looked with impatient eyes he could see nothing but the sagebrush.

The westward bound flier and the eastward bound flier went their breathless ways.—Chicago Tribune.

A Suspicious Wife.

"I'm always worried when Henry begins saving string."

"Why?"

"It makes me think he has been doing something awfully extravagant down town."—Indianapolis Journal.

THE SENSE OF TASTE.

IT SHOULD BE THE BEST GUIDE TO THE FOOD WE NEED.

If Not Perverted, It Will Select Those Substances For Which the Body Is Suffering—We Use Entirely Too Much Salt.

The function of the taste doubtless sustains a much more important relation to digestion than has been generally accorded to it, says Dr. Kellogg. Food to be digested must be appetizing. Food which nauseates does not stimulate the secretion of the fluid necessary to digest it either in the mouth or the stomach. The sense of taste may be regarded as a sort of regulation. Hence it is an important property of food that the sense of taste may be stimulated and that it may have an opportunity to exercise its selective and controlling functions.

When one has eaten a sufficient amount of simple, wholesome food, the sense of taste informs him of the fact by declining to receive more. A perfect rule for mastication would be to chew each morsel of food until there is left only a tasteless remnant. It is useless to swallow such a residue, as it can have no nutritive value. When food is taken in this way, the sense of taste has an opportunity to say "enough" before too much has been swallowed and thus affords a perfect means of adapting the amount of food taken to the needs of the body.

A careful study of this suggestion will also show that the sense of taste, if allowed to act in a normal way, will select those substances of which the body is in great need. For example, if the blood is impoverished and needs an extra supply of nitrogenous food there will be a craving for such foods as nuts, legumes and possibly eggs and milk or some other substance containing nitrogen.

A curious analogy to this function is found in some insectivorous plants, which, as has been shown by recent experiments, refuse to capture insects or pay attention to fragments of meat placed within their grasp except when the soil upon which they grow is lacking in nitrogenous elements. By supplying a fertilizer rich in nitrogen these so called carnivorous plants cease to be carnivorous and behave wholly like other plants. The same principle applies to the use of fat making substances, such as starchy and oleaginous foods, such as nuts and cereals. The writer has frequently observed in thin patients a craving for fats, which disappeared entirely after the patient had made a gain of 20 or 30 pounds.

The taste was no doubt intended by the Creator to be a perfect guide to the quantity and quality of food to be taken and not simply a means of gustatory pleasure. Unfortunately it has been terribly debauched and perverted from its normal function. Men and women treat the palate as the pianist treats his instrument, touching it in various ways simply for the purpose of provoking pleasurable sensations, with no regard whatever for the possible needs of the body or the possible damage which may be caused. The sense of taste, thus wrongly educated, becomes perverted, and its indications become confused. Abnormal cravings are developed, which demand satisfaction in the use of tea, coffee, wine and other intoxicants, mustard, pepper and other condiments, large quantities of salt, pickles and rich and savory dishes of various sorts, together with sweets, ices and tidbits of all kinds. The sense of taste has been dethroned from its high position as governor of nutrition and has come to be merely the servant of a capricious and insatiable desire for an illegitimate sensation, a purely selfish animal pleasure. This is gluttony, pure and simple, and is the apt tutor and hall companion of alcoholic intemperance.

The free use of common salt must likewise be placed among serious dietetic errors. Professor Bunge of Basel, the leading physiological chemist of the world, with many others, has shown that the so called necessity for the alimentary use of salt rests upon a very uncertain and equivocal, if not erroneous, basis and that at most salt can be used without injury only in very minute quantities. The quantity designated by Professor Bunge as within the limits of possible harmlessness is about 15 grains a day, or probably less than one-fourth of the amount usually consumed. The free use of salt leads to thirst and copious drinking in connection with meals.

Gum chewing, tobacco chewing, the use of tobacco in any form, must be condemned as harmful to the digestion through exhausting the function of the salivary glands, so that when required to maintain constant activity the saliva secreted by the glands has very little value as a digestive agent. The glands, as well as the muscles and other parts of the body, require rest in which to store up the elements necessary for their proper function.—Good Health.

His Capacity Had Limits.

An old farmer who was in the habit of eating what was set before him, asking no questions, dropped into a Memphis cafe for dinner. The waiter gave him the menu card and explained to the old gentleman that it was the list of dishes the cafe served for dinner that day. Accordingly he began at the top of the bill of fare and ordered each thing in turn until he had covered about one-third of it. The prospect of what was still before him was too overpowering, yet there were some things at the end that he wanted to try. He called the waiter and, confidently marking off the spaces on the card with his index finger, said:

"Look here, I've et frum thar to thar Can I skip from that to thar and eat on to the bottom?"—Memphis Scimitar

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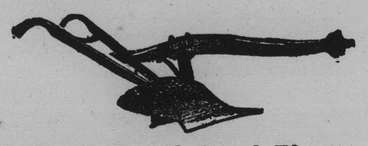

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The Foundation of Woman.

A small boy in the mission Sunday school of Bishop Fallows' church propounded an entirely new theory of creation last Sunday.

"Who made man?" asked the teacher, beginning as in the good old days when orthodoxy used catechisms.

"God," was the prompt reply.

"And how did he make him?"

"Out of dust, ma'am; nothing but dust."

"And who made woman?"

"God made her, too, ma'am."

"How?"

The small boy hesitated and then replied cheerfully, "He caused a deep sleep to fall upon man and then took out his backbone and made the woman."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A New Arabic Notation.

There is a city magistrate living up town who is possibly raising a mathematical prodigy in the person of his 3 or 4 year old daughter. She has only recently begun to attend the kindergarten and yet meditates changes in the system of enumeration now in vogue which, while startling, are certainly suggestive.

When asked the other day to count, she hesitated some and then lisped:

"None, some, one, two, free, fore."—New York Times.

Too Much Sugar.

Dr. Patchen of New York says, "If every living person were to diminish by 90 per cent the amount of sugar he now consumes and maintain its use at this standard, in less than one generation the number of physicians now practicing would be diminished by one-half, and two-thirds of the present number of drug stores would be closed."

Will Power.

"As a lawyer Quibb's success is due largely to his great power of will."

"Yes, I understand he has broken more wills than any other man at the bar."—Philadelphia North American.

Not Entitled to a Puff.

"I believe the man who was more afraid of advertising something for nothing than any newspaper man I have ever seen," said a Chicago newspaper man, "was John Knapp of the old St. Louis Republican. He hated to print a doctor's or lawyer's name for fear he would give a free puff.

"One time there was mention made in the paper of a man having died of Bright's disease of the kidneys. Old man Knapp hunted up the copy reader.

"'What do you mean,' he said, 'by running in the name Bright in our columns? He is not an advertiser in our paper and is not entitled to a notice unless he pays for it.'"—Denver Post.

Heartless Critic.

Playwright—I suppose you saw the premier performance of my comedy last night?

First Nighter—Yes; I was there.

Playwright—How did you like the climax of the first act?

First Nighter—Really, I didn't see that.

Playwright—Too bad! Got there too late, eh?

First Nighter—No; went away too soon.—Catholic Standard and Times.

Not Nicotine, but Pyridines.

It is doubtful whether any nicotine ever reaches the mouth of the smoker except that present in the moistened tobacco which is in contact with the lips. The smoke products of tobacco do not contain any important quantity of nicotine, the chief toxic bodies being related to that interesting series of organic bases known to chemists as pyridines.—Lancet.

The peculiar gait to which the South American horses are trained, known as the "paseo de trote," is a mincing step, so light and easy that the hoofs scarcely touch the ground. It is said to have been acquired in the early days of the Spanish invasion.

It's love that makes the world go round, but money makes it go round without squeaking.—Somerville Journal.

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A Minister's Mistake.

A city minister was recently handed a notice to be read from his pulpit. Accompanying it was a clipping from a newspaper bearing upon the matter. The clergyman started to read the extract and found that it began: "Take Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure." This was hardly what he expected and, after a moment's hesitation, he turned it over, and found on the other side the matter intended for the reading.

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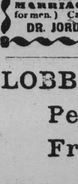

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